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OF THE

County and City of Morcester

LUNATIC ASYLUM

FOR THE YEAR 1906,

AND

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, 1906-7.

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FIFTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

COMMITTEE OF VISITORS

OF THE

COUNTY AND CITY OF WORCESTER LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Presented to the County Council of the County of Worcester and to the Town Council of the City of Worcester, pursuant to the 190th section of the Lunacy Act, 1890.

- 1.—The Committee of Visitors of the County and City Lunatic Asylum beg to present to the Councils of the County and City of Worcester respectively, their Annual Report for the year ended the 31st December, 1906.
- 2.—We desire to record with regret the loss we sustained during the year by the death of Major Grice-Hutchinson, who was an active member of our Body, and whose services were much appreciated by us. In consequence of his decease Mr. James Ashwin was appointed a Member of our Committee.
- 3.—In the month of August, our Third Assistant Medical Officer (Mr. Manning), resigned his post on being appointed Senior Assistant Medical Officer to the Cambridgeshire Asylum. In his place we appointed Mr. J. A. Taylor, who entered upon his duties immediately upon Mr. Manning relinquishing his office. Towards the close of the year the Rev. W. Osmund Knight, our Roman Catholic Chaplain, who had, during six-and-a-half years, ably discharged his that capacity, duties in consequence of his leaving resigned his appointment inPending the expiration of his term of office, the district. the Rev. Father Weld-Blundell kindly undertook duties, and we subsequently appointed him to fill

vacancy thus occasioned. One or two other vacancies have occurred in the Official Staff during the year, which we have filled up, we hope, satisfactorily. The Medical Superintendent and other Officers of the Asylum continue to discharge their duties to our entire satisfaction. We annex copies of the respective Reports of the Rev. T. J. L. Davies and the Rev. Father Knight (Schedules I and II).

4.—We have held the usual Monthly Meetings, also Meetings of the House Committee as required by the Lunacy Acts, when every Patient has been given an opportunity of conversing with some Members of the Committee and thus apply to be discharged. Every such application is fully considered by the Committee, so as to avoid the possibility of any person being improperly detained in the Asylum. The Agricultural and Engineering Sub-Committees have also met from time to time. There have been 12 Monthly Meetings and six House Committee Meetings during the year. The following is a table of attendances:—

	MONTHLY MEETINGS		House Committee Meetings.
John Brinton, Esq. (Chairman)	. 11	• • •	4
R. V. Berkeley, Esq	. 8		3
Rear-Admiral Britten			2
Rev. H. W. Coventry	. 12	• • •	6
Harry E. Dixey, Esq., M.D			3
G. W. Grosvenor, Esq	. 7	•••	2
Major W. C. Hill			1
Major Grice-Hutchinson (died 18th			
May, 1906)		• • •	2
James Ashwin, Esq. (appointed 11th			
June, 1906)		• • •	1
C. P. Lane, Esq.		• • •	5
G. E. Wilson, Esq		• • •	5
Rev. J. B. Wilson			4
J. S. Cook, Esq		• • •	4
Albert Buck, Esq.			4
Ernest Day, Esq		• • •	2
J. Millington, Esq.		• • •	4
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- 5.—Deputations from Boards of Guardians from the several Unions have visited the Asylum during the year, seeing the Patients in the Asylum who belong to their respective Unions. The Reports made by these Deputations testify to the satisfactory way in which the Patients are treated.
- 6.—The rate of maintenance chargeable to the Unions remains the same as last year, viz: 8s. 2d. per head per week.
- 7.—A Commissioner in Lunacy visited the Asylum on the 29th November, 1906, and a copy of his Report will be found in the Appendix (Schedule III). The suggestion contained in such Report with regard to the condition of the Lavatory is being attended to, so that we hope now there exists no cause for complaint, however slight.
- 8.—One Inquest has been held upon a Patient who fractured his ribs by an accidental fall. The Jury exonerated the Officials of the Asylum from all blame in connection with the Patient's death.
- 9.—We have to acknowledge a gift of a Gramophone and Records from Sir Tollemache Sinclair, Bart. We believe the Gramophone is much appreciated by the Patients.
- 10.—Subject to the approval of the County and City Councils, we have granted Henry Price, who had been Carpenter Attendant in the Asylum for $32\frac{1}{2}$ years, and who retired on account of ill-health, a pension of £59 10s. 2d. per annum.
- 11.—We have met the Committee of Visitors of the Barnsley Hall Asylum upon several occasions with a view to some arrangement being made with regard to Patients to be sent to the respective Asylums, and as to the rate of maintenance to be charged to the respective Unions in the County, and we hope that a satisfactory arrangement will be shortly arrived at. We understand that the Barnsley Hall Asylum will be ready for reception of patients in the Spring of 1907.

- 12.—Proceedings were instituted during the year against the Senior Laundry Maid with the result that she was convicted for theft. The prisoner made certain accusations against other of the Asylum Employees; we enquired into the matter but could find no ground for the same. We have made alterations and improvements in the Laundry which, we think, will reduce the possibility of a repetition of the offence.
- 13.—Some difficulty is still experienced by the Married Attendants in obtaining suitable Cottage accommodation in the vicinity of the Asylum.
- 14.—We made enquiries from other Asylums with regard to the system of Patients' parole, with the result that we have extended the parole to Patients in this Asylum, but they are not allowed to go beyond the Asylum grounds. The Dietary of the Patients, also, we have carefully enquired into, and are satisfied that the food they receive is sufficient and nourishing.
- 15.—The following Table shows the number of Patients in the Asylum at the last Meeting of the House Committee in each of the following years:—

		Male.	F	emal	э.	Total.
1901		527	• • • • • • • •	654	• • • • • • • •	1181
1902		526		640		1166
1903		521		626		1150
1904		541		653		1194
1905		546		655		1201
1906	• • • • • • •	540		676		1216

The numbers for 1902 and 1903 respectively, do not include 45 Female Patients boarded out.

The numbers for 1904 and 1905 respectively do not include 30 and 65 Patients boarded out.

The numbers for 1906 do not include 85 Patients boarded out as follows:—

- 35 Males at Cotford Asylum.
- 30 Females at Leicester Asylum.
- 10 Males at Abergavenny Asylum.
- 10 Females at Abergavenny Asylum.

- 16.—We append the following Reports:—
 - I. Chaplain's Report.
 - II. Roman Catholic Chaplain's Report.
 - 111. Report of Commissioner in Lunacy.
 - IV. Table showing state of Mortgage Debt.

JOHN BRINTON,

Powick,

CHAIRMAN.

4th February, 1907.

[Schedule I.]

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

Worcester County and City Lunatic Asylum,

January 4th, 1907.

MR. CHAIRMAN AND GENTLEMEN,

I have much pleasure in laying before you my fourth Annual Report.

The three Services every Sunday and one every Wednesday, as well as Daily Prayers, have been regularly conducted throughout the year. On Sundays nearly every seat in the Chapel is filled; and the general behaviour of our worshippers at these Services continues to be as usual devout and earnest.

During the Spring, for nearly two months, we were compelled to hold our Services in the Recreation Room, as our Chapel was in the hands of the painters and decorators.

Holy Communion has been celebrated regularly twice every month, once each for the Staff and the Patients. The average number of Communions, made by the Staff, has increased from 28 for the preceding year, to the present present number 41. This increase is chiefly amongst the Male Attendants, and is somewhat explained by the fact that on March 7th last, at Powick Parish Church, Bishop Mylne, at a general Confirmation Service, confirmed 15 of our Staff, whom I had previously prepared.

The Offertories of £3 18s. 10d., received at our Celebrations of Holy Communion, have been divided amongst "The After Care Association," Worcester Ophthalmic Hospital, and Worcester General Infirmary; 10s. 4½d. received in a Missionary Box, entrusted to the care of Mrs. Penny, has been forwarded to the Society for Propagation of the Gospel.

Our Harvest Festival, looked forward to with much interest every year, took place on October 14th. The Chapel was most beautifully and tastefully decorated for the occasion, and the special music, prepared beforehand by our large Choir of 45 voices, was most heartily rendered. The Reverend Barton Allen, Vicar of Kempsey, very kindly preached what has been described as "a simple and effective sermon."

We are very grateful to Mr. Bubb, Deputy Superintendent, who by his musical talent and personal influence with the Choir does so much to make our services bright and hearty; and to the Choir for their loyal and cheerful support of him.

I have attended daily for visitation, and done what I can to impart spiritual encouragement, hope, and cheerfulness, and when our Patients have been discharged (and 114 were discharged last year) I have corresponded with their several Ministers and others, and thus in many instances assisted them to find suitable employment, and to receive that sympathy which they sometimes need to combat public prejudice.

I may mention here that during the last 12 months many of our Patients, with the permission of our Superintendent, have been allowed and encouraged to form friendships by correspondence each one with a member of the "Ladies' Letter Guild"; and these Patients have greatly appreciated it. The value of these friendships is indisputable and full of many possibilities to those discharged recovered.

During the year 97 Patients have died, 39 of whom were buried our Cemetery. The rest were removed for burial elsewhere.

The Library has been open nearly every day, and continues to be regularly used. More Books have been issued during the year than in any one of the last few years; the figure being 1130 or 80 more than the preceding year. The demand is chiefly for light literature. The Books in the open cases of the several Wards have been renewed every four months.

CRICKET.—We played 13 matches during the season, and were fairly successful, losing only three matches.

Having lately had a large part of our ground relaid we can now look forward to more pleasant games.

I am greatly indebted to the Superintendent and his Staff for their usual courtesy and help, which are much appreciated.

I remain,

Your obedient Servant,

T. J. L. DAVIES,

CHAPLAIN.

THE COMMITTEE OF VISITORS,
WORCESTER COUNTY AND CITY ASYLUM.

[SCHEDULE II.]

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

To the Chairman and Visiting Committee of the Powick Asylum.

MR. CHAIRMAN AND GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to lay my Report for the past year before you.

There has been the usual Service on all the Sundays of the year, and once a month a Mass has been said at 8 o'clock on a Sunday in nearly every case. The attendance has been quite as good as I could reasonably expect, and the behaviour of the Patients has been uniformly good.

Three or four times in the year, on the great Festivals of the Church, I have prepared beforehand and given Holy Communion to as many as were capable of receiving it.

I have visited the Asylum once a week, and been through the Wards and done my best to help the Catholic Patients in the manner most suited to their needs. I have also, whenever summoned, attended the sick and prepared them for death.

In conclusion, I desire to thank the Medical Superintendent, and all the other officials of the Asylum, for their kindness to me in the discharge of my duties.

I have the honour to be, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

W. OSMUND KNIGHT,
ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN.

[Schedule III.]

REPORT OF COMMISSIONER IN LUNACY.

Worcester County and City Asylum,

Nov. 29тн, 1906.

Since the last visit of the Commissioners to this Asylum, in June last year, there have been admitted 382 patients and 230 have been discharged, of whom 162 had recovered, and there have also been deaths of 126 patients. There are now on the books the names of 1213 patients, 539 being males, and 674 females; of these 29 are private cases, and six out County paupers chargeable to six different Unions.

There are now resident in the Asylum 536 men and 666 women; three men and eight women are out on trial, and 45 male patients and 40 female are boarded out, 35 males being at Cotford Asylum, and 30 females at Leicester Borough Asylum, and 10 of each sex in Abergavenny Asylum.

Of the 1202 resident Patients, I have on my visit yesterday and to-day seen all with the exception of one man, who is at the isolation hospital suffering from Scarlet Fever, and have given to every one an opportunity of speaking to me. From the women I received many appeals for discharge, and in Female Ward No. 13 four women, in particular, complained of ill-treatment received by themselves and other Patients in the Ward from the Nurses. I fully went into these charges, and can find no justification for them. The Women in the other Wards were generally free from complaints, but were somewhat noisy, especially in Wards 2 3, and 5, but this is probably due to a great measure to the overcrowding which still prevails in the Asylum, and which is greater on the female side than on the male. sleeping accomodation, estimated as in the return made to the Board is for 530 Males and 638 Females, the numbers in residence to-day, as before stated, being 536 respectively.

The Men were much quieter and contented, and free from complaints other than a few appeals for discharge.

The general condition of all the Patients as regards their personal appearance and dress was quite satisfactory.

I am glad to hear that the Barnsley Hall Asylum will be opened in the spring of next year, which will relieve the present overcrowded state of this Asylum.

The general health of the Institution is very fair, seven men and 12 women being in bed at the time of my inspection two of the latter suffering from Colitis, and one man from Scarlet Fever.

Eighty-one per cent. of the 126 deaths were followed by post mortem examinations. Nearly a quarter of the total of these deaths were due to Phthisis; I hope that it will be found that this high proportion will be lowered when the overcrowding is done away with. There were nine deaths from Colitis, of which there have been altogether since the last visit as many as 71 cases among the Patients, and five These cases have been isolated as far as among the Staff. possible in the single rooms in the Wards, but I understand that the Visiting Committee have not taken any further steps towards the erection of any buildings for the more effectual isolation of those so attacked. The other instances of Epidemic or Zymotic Disease since the last visit have been three from Scarlet Fever, two in June of last year, and one at the present time. Only one Inquest has been held, the verdict of the jury being that the Patient, a man, died from the effects of a fracture of two ribs due to an accidental fall, and acting upon a constitution greatly weakened by General Paralysis of the Insane.

There have been 15 serious casaulties of a non-fatal character; they were all fractures of bones and none call for special mention.

There are no Bed-sores among those in bed at the present time, but 5.5 per cent. of those who died presented them.

From the returns presented to the Board for 1905 the percentage of Epileptics remaining in the Asylum at the end of the year was 16.2, which is considerably above the average in Asylums generally.

The Dinner to-day consisted of potato and meat pie. I saw it in the kitchens, and again in several of the Wards. It was of very good quality, and much appreciated by the Patients.

From the returns for last year the very good percentage of 53 Patients attend the Religious services; for the Roman Catholics, of whom there are at present 54 in number, a Service is held every Sunday, and Mass once a month by the Roman Catholic Chaplain, who is paid for his services. For the Nonconformists, now 185 in number, no special services are provided.

The number of Patients attending the weekly Entertainments was for 1905 rather below the average in Asylums generally, but this is probably accounted for by the small room in which they are held.

The percentage of those who walk out beyond the Asylum Estate is good, and of those usefully employed is about the average.

There is no record of mechanical restraint since the last visit; 59 Patients have been secluded on 199 occasions, for a total of 856 hours.

The Buildings generally are in very good order, the Wards being bright and well supplied with Plants and Flowers, with Books and Papers. Some of the Wards on the male side require redecoration, which I understand will soon be put in hand. I noticed a bad smell arising from the discharge pipes of the washing basins in the lavatories in some of the Wards on both sides of the house; this should be attended to.

Since the last visit of the Commissioners new Decker Ovens and a steam Kneading Machine have been erected in the Bakehouse, and improvements have been effected in the Laundry by the enlargement of the Female Issuing Room, and the erection of a new foul Washing Machine.

The Chapel also has been entire redecorated.

Since the last visit one Charge Attendant has died, and three have left, while four other Attendants have been dismissed, but none for misconduct immediately affecting the Patients. From the returns for 1905 the proportion of Day

Staff to number of Patients was rather weak, being in the proportion of 1 to 12.4. The percentage of Attendants with service of under one year was very satisfactory, being 17 per cent., while of those of over five years' service the very good percentage of 47 is also returned.

The maintenance charge per head per week is for Home Patients 8s. 2d., for Out-County Patients 14s., and for Private Patients 15s.

I regret that through the indisposition of my Colleague I have had to pay my visit alone, but I have been much assisted during my inspection by Mr. Braine-Hartnell.

(Signed) BARNARD T. HODGSON,

CCMMISSIONER IN LUNACY.

[SCHEDULE IV.] STATEMENT OF MORTGAGE DEBT.

The total aggregate originally borrowed amounted to	For the County. £ s. d. 56,888 17 8 77,327 16 4	For the City. £ s. d. 7,111 2 4 10,976 14 0	Total. £ s. d. 64,000 0 0 88,304 10 4
Principal Paid off	134,216 14 0 119,913 6 0	18,087 16 4 9,842 16 4	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
,, Remaining unpaid.	14,303 8 0	*8,245 0 0	22,548 8 0

^{*£4,690 15}s. 3d. stands at credit of the Loans Fund towards paying off the above balance of £8,245.

JOHN BRINTON, Chairman.

THE FIFTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MEDICAL OFFICER & SUPERINTENDENT.

To the Committee of Visitors of the Worcester County and City Asylum.

MR. CHAIRMAN AND GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to present the Fifty-Fourth Annual Report, being that for the year ending December 31st, 1906. The usual Statistical Tables for that period are appended. The Financial Statement for the year ending March 31st, 1907, prepared by Mr. Hadley, the Asylum Clerk, is also attached.

The changes that occurred among the patients were as follows:—

		Females.	Total.
Number of Patients in Asylum, January 1st,			
1906, excluding 25 Males and 40 Females	5		
boarded out		659	1,199
Admitted		133	$1,199 \\ 258$
Discharged	80	81	161
	51	46	97
Number of Patients in Asylum, December 31st,			
1906, excluding 45 Males and 40 Females			
boarded out		665	1,199

The number of patients at the end of the year was the same as at the beginning, as, however, 20 male patients have been boarded out at the Cotford and Abergavenny Asylums, the increase is equivalent to 20 patients during the year. The average number resident was 542 males and 660 females, total 1,202. The total number under treatment was 665 males and 792 females, total 1,457.

Admissions.—One hundred and twenty-five males and 133 females, total 258, were admitted during the year. Twenty-five men and 37 women, as far as could be ascertained, had had previous attacks. This means that 24 per cent. or roughly one-quarter of all the admissions had previously suffered from mental disease. Direct heredity was assigned as a cause in 13.6 per cent., and a taint in collateral branches of the family, as responsible for 17.4 per cent. Intemperance in drink was given as a cause in 12.0 per cent.

The following table shows the condition of health of those admitted:—

BODILY HEALTH OF THOSE ADMITTED.

			Males.	Females.	Total.
In Good Health	and Condition		18	9	27
In Indifferent H	ealth and Reduced	Condition	62	103	165
In Bad Health a	and Exhausted Con	dition	45	21	66

Forty three of those admitted during the year have been discharged "recovered." Sixteen have died.

DISCHARGES.—Forty-nine males and 65 females, total 114, have been discharged "recovered," being at the rate of 41.88 per cent. for males and 52.84 per cent. for females, total 47.50 per cent. on the number admitted, excluding transfers from other Asylums. This compares favourably with the rate 37.02 per cent. for all Asylums as set forth in the last Blue Book of the Commissioners.

Ten male patients were transferred on May 2nd to the Monmouthshire Asylum, at Abergavenny, and 10 male patients to the Somerset Asylum, at Cotford, on Nov. 3rd. The rate of maintenance was in each case 14s. per head per week.

DEATHS.—Fifty-one males and 46 females, total 97, died during the year. This is at the rate of 8 per cent. on the average number resident. Phthisis is responsible for 29.9 per cent. This is a marked increase compared with former years, and is in part attributable to the overcrowded state of the Wards. Colitis claims 5.1 per cent., which is a great improvement on recent years. Senile Decay for 17.5 per cent. Pneumonia, which was very prevalent in the winter, for 10.3 per cent.

The following is a short summary of the causes of death. Full details will be found in Table V.

SUMMARY OF CAUSES OF DEATH.

•					Males.	Females.	Total.
Diseases of Brain and	Spinal	Cord		• • •	10	8	18
,, Heart and	Lungs		• • •		24	23	47
,, Abdominal	Organs		• • •		3	7	10
A 12 MA			• • •		11	6	17
0.1					3	2	5
					51	46	97

Post-mortem examinations were made in 78 out of 97 deaths, or at the rate of 80.4 per cent.

PRIVATE PATIENTS.—One male and one female died. One female was transferred from the pauper class, leaving at the end of the year 10 males and 16 females, total 26.

Of the criminal class there was one male at the beginning of the year. Three males were admitted, two of whom, at the expiration of their sentence, were transferred to the pauper class, leaving on December 31st, two criminal patients.

INQUESTS.—One inquest was held on a male patient, who from a fall had sustained two fractured ribs. The jury returned the following verdict: "That the said A.C. died from the fracture of two ribs, due to an accidental fall, and acting upon a constitution greatly weakened by General Paralysis."

Accidents.—Apart from the accident mentioned above there were eight cases of non-fatal injuries, all due to falls or struggles with other patients. They were as follows:—Three of fractured ribs, one of the arm, two of the leg, and two of the fingers. From time to time, as these occurred, your Committee have been supplied with full details.

ESCAPES.—Four patients effected their escape. All were recaptured within a period of time, varying from 15 minutes to $5\frac{1}{2}$ hours.

BIRTHS.—Three women were admitted in a pregnant condition, all have been confined; one died, the second has been discharged "recovered"; the third remained a patient at the end of the year.

Health.—One case of Typhoid Fever occurred in a male patient, who made a good recovery, and has since been discharged "recovered." There were three cases of Scarlet Fever; two women and a man. The latter case ended fatally. Colitis has not been so marked. The deaths from this cause being only 5·1 per cent. as against 13·5 per cent. the previous year. I regret the presence of so much Phthisis. The death rate this year from this disease was 12·6 per cent. heavier than last year, and points to the fact that the overcrowding in the Wards ought to be reduced. I would suggest to your Committee that, as is done in other Asylums, we should make provision for the open-air treatment of this disease.

STAFF.—The changes during the year have been numerous. Mr. Manning, the 3rd Assistant Medical Officer, resigned on being promoted to be Senior at the Cambridge Asylum. Dr. J. A. Taylor was appointed in his place. He came in September and has proved himself an efficient and hard working colleague. Miss McKay, the Head Female Attendant, resigned. Miss Alice Brown, the Deputy Head Attendant, was appointed in her place. Miss F. Brown was promoted to be Deputy.

The Rev. W. O. Knight, Roman Catholic Chaplain, resigned his post owing to his removal from the district. The Rev. E. B. Weld-Blundell was appointed in his place.

Mr. Westbury, Assistant Clerk, was appointed Clerk to the Barnsley Hall Asylum—promotion which was well merited. Mr. Jackson, Superintendent's Clerk, was promoted to be Assistant Clerk, and Mr. W. Longden was appointed to Mr. Jackson's vacant post.

Henry Price, Carpenter Attendant, who had been in your employ for over 32 years, resigned owing to ill-health. He was granted a pension of £59 10s. 2d. per annum.

I regret to have to report the sudden death of Thomas Vaughan, Charge Attendant, which took place in the Worcester Infirmary a few days after his admission. He left a widow and several young children. As the law now stands your Committee could not, as they were desirous of doing, grant her any assistance.

Nine Nurses who had been many years in the service of the Asylum resigned, some to take up other work, some to be married, and one from ill-health. The latter I regret to say has since died.

One Male Attendant was suspended from duty and subsequently discharged by your Committee for absenting himself from the Asylum without leave.

One Laundry-maid was prosecuted for theft. She was sentenced to three months' imprisonment. With these two exceptions I can speak well of the conduct of the Nurses and Attendants during the past year.

I am indebted to my medical colleagues for their ever ready help and assistance, and for the interest they take in the amusements of the patients.

The heads of the other departments deserve my hearty thanks for the manner in which they supervise the work allotted to them, and for the interest they display in the welfare of the Asylum.

The following is a Numerical Statement of the Staff:—

Numerical Statement of the Staff.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Superintendent and Medical Officer	1	• • •	1
Assistant Medical Officers	3	• • •	3
Other Officers	8	4	12
Ward Attendants (including five Artizan			
Attendants)	45	52	97
Ward Night Attendants	7	9	16
Tradesmen and Artizans who do no Ward			
Duty	9		9
Storekeeper's and Engineer's Assistants,			
Stokers, etc	11		11
Gardeners and Farm Servants	18	•••	18
Porters, Cooks, Laundry Maids, and other			
Domestic Servants	2	15	17

Commissioners in Lunacy.—Barnard T. Hodgson, Esq., a Commissioner in Lunacy, visited the Asylum on November 28th and 29th. His Report, which was considered satisfactory, will be found in Schedule III.

GENERAL MATTERS.—The charge per patient per week was 8s. 2d.

The average cost per head per week was 7s. 9d. for the year ending March 31st, 1907.

The average cost per head per week, including interest on loans, repayment of capital and sums granted by the County and City Councils for General Repairs, was 9s. 0\frac{1}{8}d.

During the year the ovens in the Bakehouse were entirely rebuilt by Hunt, of Leicester. A Kneader and Engine were also placed in the Bakehouse. The result has been on the side of economy and an improvement in the quality of the bread.

A machine for rinsing the foul clothes has been placed in the Laundry. It has proved most useful and efficient.

Owing to the overcrowed state of the issuing room in the Laundry on the female side, the same has been enlarged. Another maid has been added to the Laundry Staff, with certain special duties.

A wall pump has been placed in the Engine-house for the purpose of feeding the boilers and to relieve the Donkey pump which requires repairs.

Sir Tollemache Sinclair, Bart., has kindly given a Graphophone and 36 records for the use of the patients. The same has been much appreciated.

I regret to have to record the death of Major Grice-Hutchinson, a Member of the Committee. I would wish to associate myself with your Committee in the expressions of regret at the loss sustained by the Asylum through his death.

The following Boards of Guardians have visited the Asylum:—Droitwich, Dudley, Kidderminster, King's Norton, Martley, Shipston-on-Stour, Stourbridge, Tewkesbury, West Bromwich, Worcester. Some Guardians apparently do not think it necessary to visit their patients except at long intervals. This, I must say, I consider a mistake, and would urge all Guardians to visit their patients at least once a year.

The Farm shows a profit of £669 9s. 4d. on the year.

In conclusion I beg to tender my thanks to your Committee for the kind consideration and assistance which you have always afforded me.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

GEO. M. P. BRAINE-HARTNELL

May 14, 1907.



STATISTICAL

AND

MEDICAL TABLES

1906.

TABLE I.

Admissions. Re-admissions. Discharges. and

Showing the Admissions, Re-admissions, Discharges, and Deaths during the year ending 31st December, 1906.

	М.	F.	т.	М.	F.	T.
In Asylum January 1st, 1906 Cases admitted— First admissions Not first admissions	108	103	211 47	540	659	1199
Total cases admitted during the year	A. 4			125	133	258
Total cases under care during the }				665	792	1457
Cases discharged — Recovered Relieved Not improved Died Total cases discharged and died during the year	49 5 26 51	65 2 14 46	114 7 40 97	131	127	258
Remaining in the Asylum 31st } December, 1906				534	665	1199
					(
Average number resident during } the year				542	660	1202
Persons * under care during the year + } Persons admitted ,, ,, ,, Persons recovered ,, ,, ,, Transferred ‡to the Asylum ,, from the Asylum		-		662 124 48 8 29	785 133 65 7 12	1447 257 113 15 41

^{*} Persons, i.e, separate persons in contradistinction to "cases" which may include the same individual more than once.

⁺ Total cases, minus re-admissions of patients discharged during the current year.

[‡] Patients transferred from one asylum, &c., to another, even when re-certified, are regarded as transfers.

TABLE IA.

Showing (1) the Previous Attacks among Persons admitted during the year 1906, and (2) the Number of Times they had previously Recovered in this or any Asylum.

			PE	ersons.		
(1) Number of Previous Attacks.	M	Male. I			r	Cotal.
Have had 1 attack		20		23		43
,, 2 attacks		3		8		11
,, 3 ,,		1		1		2
,, 4 ,,		0		3		3
,, 5 ,, or more		0		0		0
,, several attacks		1		2		3
Unknown		14		8		22
(2) Number of Times Patients Recovered.	IN TH	us As	YLUM.	In A		YLUM.*
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Once	12	19	31		•••	•••
Twice	1	4	5	• • •	•••	
Three	1	1	2	•••	•••	•••
Four	• • •	1	1	•••	•••	•••
Five	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••
Six	•••	•••	• • •	•••		

This information is not given owing to the impossibility of supplying it with accuracy.

TABLE II.

Showing the Admissions, Re-admissions, Discharges, and Deaths from the opening of the Asylum to the 31st December, 1906.

4)	1	1		1	1
	M.	F.	T.	М.	F.	T.
Persons admitted during the period of 54 years and 4 months	4191	4142	8333			
Re-admissions	558	751	1309			-
Total Cases admitted				4749	4893	9642
Discharged Cases :— Recovered Relieved Not improved	1382 280 432	1865 272 365	3247 552 797			
Died	2121	1726	3847			
Total Cases discharged and died since the opening of the Asylum				4215	4228	8443
Remaining 31st December, 1906				534	665	1199
Average number resident during the 54.39 years				329	414	743
Transferred to the Asylum				457	417	874
,, from the Asylum				523	440	963

TABLE IIA.

Showing the Admissions and Recoveries of Persons* from 11th August, 1852, to the present date, 31st December, 1906.

(54.39 years).

HISTORY OF RECOVERIES OF PERSONS.				The same only omit- ting all Persons transferred from other Asylums, &c.		
	M.	F.	Т.	М.	F.	T.
$\left. egin{array}{ll} \textit{Persons} & \text{admitted during the} \\ 54.39 & \text{years} & \dots & \dots \end{array} ight\}$	4191	4142	8333			
Of whom were discharged re- covered during the same period, being 31.4 per cent of <i>Persons</i> admitted	1142	1478	2620			•••
Of whom were re-admitted re- } lapsed † }	290	405	695			
Leaving recovered <i>Persons</i> who \ have not relapsed \	852	1073	1925	•••	•••	•••
$egin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		163	286	•••	•••	
Net recovered <i>Persons</i> being 26.5 per cent. of persons admitted	975	1236	2211	•••		

^{*} Persons. *i.e.*, separate persons in contradistinction to *Cases* which may include the same individual more than once.

Re-admission applies only to re-admission into this Asylum.

- † i.e., Persons who have relapsed one or more times.
- ‡ ie, After last re-admission, if relapsed more than once.
- $\parallel i \, c$. Recovered persons sane at the present time so far as the Asylum statistics show.
- This information is not given owing to the impossibility of supplying it with accuracy.



Showing the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths, with the Mean Annual Mortality and proportion of Recoveries per cent. of the Admissions for each year since the Opening of the Asylum, 11th August, 1852.

ouring the years so marked there were:—

Male Patients from the Bedford Asylum.

Abergavenny Asylum. Oxford Asylum.

,, and 10 from the Abergavenny Asylums.

m.—25 ,, and 5 Female Fatients' belonging to the County and City of Worcester boarded out at the Rubery Hill Asylum.

n.—25 Male and 30 Female Patients belonging to the County and City of Worcester, boarded out at the Rubery Hill Asylum.

n.—25 ,, and 30 Female Patients from the Essex Asylum.

- p.-29 ,, Patients belonging to the County and City of Worcester, boarded out
- at the Derby Borough Asylum.

 Patients belonging to the County and City of Worcester boarded out,

 30 at the Derby Borough Asylum and 25 at the Joint Counties" q.-55
- Asylum, Abergavenny.

 r—25

 , Patients belonging to the County and City of Worcester, boarded out at the Joint Counties' Asylum, Abergavenny.

 s.—30

 , and 30 Female Patients from the Stafford Asylum.

 t—45 Female Patients belonging to the County and City of Worcester boarded out,

 30 at Derby County Asylum, and 15 at Northampton County Asylum.

 u.—30

 , Patients boarded out at the Leicester Borough Asylum.

 v.—25 Male Patients boarded out at Cotford Asylum.

 10 Female

 , Abergavenny Asylum.

 w.—35 Male

 , Cotford

 , Cotford

- 10 Female ,, , Abergavenny Asylum.

 35 Male , , Cotford ,,
 10 ,, and 10 Female Patients boarded out at Abergavenny Asylum.

34 .TABLE IV.

Showing the History of the Annual Admissions since the opening of the Asylum, 11th August, 1852, with the Discharges and Deaths, and the number of each Year's Admissions remaining on the 31st December, 1906.

Years.	Ad	mitt	ed.			Of ea	ach		r's Ad Died (s Discha	arge	l and		T	otal Di	scha		and missi	Died of ea	ch Y	ear's		eac	naining of
	New Cases.	lap	sed ses.	1.	Re	cover	red.	R	Celieved	3.]		Not proved.		Died.		Reco	vered.	I	Relie	ved.	Not Improved.		Died.		31st	nissions, Decem- r, 1906.
7	M. F.	M.	F.	Total.	М.	F.	Total.	М.	F.	M	.	F. Total.	M.	F. 5		м. 1	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M. F. Lotal.	M.	F.	Total.	М.	F. Lotal,
1853 1854 1855 1856 1857 1858 1858 1859 1860 1861 1861 1862 1863 1864 1865 1866 1867 1868 1870 1871 1 1872 1873 1874 1875 1876 1877 1878 1879 1880 1881 1882 1881 1882 1883 1885 1886 1887 1888 1889 1 1890 1891 1892 1893 1894 1896 1897 1898 1899 1900 17 1901 10 1903 18 1904 10 1906 10 10 10		1 3 6 5 2 2 6 6 4 4 5 7 11 10 9 5 5 10 5 11 9 12 8 8 8 7 33 8 9 13 9 6 11 40 41 15 15 15 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17	3 3 1 5 3 8 5 7 12 14 11 14 10 9 14 12 15 16 16 17 15 16 16 17 15 16 13 14 20 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19	258 			2 2 1 1 1 1 2 4 1 4 1 3	1 4				1 1 1 1 2 1 3 8 6 10	1	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 1 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 2	11	8 66 0 78 2 97 0 97 9 111 4 92 9 87 1 94	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	3441414762563505733641066956329722::6553526435686343327::	9 8 9 9 8 7 5 11 4	1 1 6 2 4 2 4 2 4 2 2 4 2 2 2 4 4 9 13 8 4 2 20 2 2 4 4 8 2 20 8 17 17 11 3 14 9 11 3 14 12 11 3 14 12 11 3 14 12 11 3 14 12 11 3 14 12 13 14 12 13 14 12 13 14 12 13 14 13 14 27 18 13 15 9 14 13 14 27 18 13 15 9 15 13 15 9 15 13 15 9 16 13 15 9 16 13 15 9 16 13 14 12 16 13 14 12 16 13 15 12 1	64 33 20 28 26 22 26 25 36 29 41 36 33 47 45 46 52 48 56 36 44 40 49 33 45 47 47 44 43 36 37 47 47 47 47 47 47 47 47 47 4	76 23 20 27 25 35 36 35 33 34 39 33 34 39 33 34 36 37 38 36 37 38 38 38 38 38 38 38 38 38 38 38 38 38	75 80 72 77 58 60 46 53 33 16	10 30 16 16 17 15 16 18 18 20 229 227 44 48 68 210	11 27 21 38 16 31 22 38 17 35 27 45 28 48 34 63 46 73 38 64 47 83

Summary of the Total Admissions from August 11th, 1852, to December 31st, 1906.

Percentage of Cases Recovered	Males. 29:10 5:90 9:09 44:66 11:25	Females. 35.11 5.56 7.46 35.27 13.60	Total. 33.68 5.72 8.27 39.90 12.43
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TABLE V.

Showing the Causes of Death during the Year 1906, together with the Ages at Death.

Cause of Death.	Under 5 Years.	unde	d loan under 15	er	15 and under 20	20 und 2	der	25 an unde 30	nd a	30 and under 35	35 a und 40	er	40 an unde 45	er u	5 and inder 50	un	and der	55 a und 60	ler	60 and under 65	d 65	and nder 70	70 a uno	ler	75 a nde unde 80	d 80	and inder 85	ur	and ider 90	90 a und 95	ler	95 a und 100	er	Тс	otal.
	MF	M :	F M	F	M F	M	F	M	F N	A F	M	F	M	F M	F	M	F	M	F	M]	M	F	M	F	M F	M		M	F	M 	F	M	F .	M] 1	F T
CEREBRO-SPINAL DISEASES. General Paralysis	•• ••		1	1			••	••						1 1 1	••			••		••			1	ï				••		••				1	4 10 1 1 2 2 1 1 1 2
THORACIC DISEASES.	••	•••			1	2		••		•	3		•	•			•	•••	_								••				••	* * *	•	1	4 29
Pneumonia		••		••	1	••					••			2 2 3 1	1			••		1 		··· ··· ·· 1	i						::	••				5 2 1	5 10 1 1 2 2 1 1 1 1 1 2 1 1
ABDOMINAL DISEASES. Ditis		••	•• •• ••			••					••		•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••		i			••			1		••	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	••		· ··			••				1	4 5 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
GENERAL DISEASES. nile Decay						••	••											••			. 3	1	1	2	2		3		••				••	1 .	6 17 1 1 3
Total			1	1	2 1	2		1	1	1	4	3	6	7	4 4	5	4	1	4	1	3 10	5	7	5	3	6	4	 - 	1	-	•			51	46 97

Number of post-mortem examinations, 39 Males, 39 Females Total, 78.



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TABLE VI.

Showing the Length of Residence in those Discharged Recovered, and in those who have Died, during the Year 1906.

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							RE	COVE	RED.		DIED),
			PER	IOD O	F RES	IDENCE.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	τ	Inder 1	week							1		1
ı	τ	nder 1	month		• • • • • • •		1	1	2	1	2	3
ı	1	month	and un	der 3	month	s	6	1	7	5	1	6
ı	3	months	s ,,	6	,,	•••••	25	25	50	4	2	6
ı	6	,,	,,	9	,,		4	9	13	4	3	7
l	9	,,	,,	12	, ,		3	5	8	2		2
l	1	year	,,	2	years		6	10	16	5	6	11
l	2	years	,,	3	,,		1	1	2	6	6	12
İ	3	,,	,,	5	,,		2	4	6	7	4	11
l	5	,,	,,	7	, ,			3	3	4	7	11
l	7	,,	; ,	10	,,		1	2	3	3	5	8
l	10	,,	, ,	$1\dot{2}$,,			1	1	1	1	2
l	12	,,	, ,	15	,,			2	2	3	2	5
	15	,;	, ,	20	, ,			1	1	1	1	2
l	20	,,	, ,	25	,,				•••	2	• • •	2
ŀ	25	,,	,,	30	,,			•••	•••		1	1
	30	,	,,	35	,,		•••	•••	7	1		1
1	35	,,	,,	40	,,		•••	•••			2	2
	40	,,	,,	45	,,			•••		1	•••	1
	45	, ,	,,	50	,,			•••		•••	3	3
		!	Total .				49	65	114	51	46	97

TABLE VII.

Showing the Duration of the Disorder on Admission in the Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths during the year 1906.

	-*	Total.	33	18	13	20	\$	10	26
	DEATHS.	Females.	12	G	o.	11	4	1	46
	I	.zəlsM	21	O.	4	6	4	7	51
	D VED.	Total.	12	3	8	œ	ĭĊ	11	47
	RELIEVED OR NOT IMPROVED.	Females.	, rc	H	4	4	H	H	16
RGES.	R	Males.	1	63	4	4	4	10	31
DISCHARGES.	ED.	Total.	50	6.	37	2	:	11	114
	RECOVERED.	Females.	32	4	23	4	:	61	65
	RE	Males.	18	ಸಂ	14	ಣ	:	6	49
	NS.	Total.	88	29	54	47	15	25	258
	Admissions.	Females.	48	14	33	25.	ಸಾ	∞	133
	AD	Males.	40	15	21	22	10	17	125
		First Class.—First attack, and within 3 months on admission	Second Class.—First attack, above 3 and within 12 months on admission	Third Class.—Not first attack, and within 12 months on admission	Fourth Class.—First attack or not, but of more than 12 months on admission	Fifth Class.—Congenital	Unknown	Total	

Showing in Quinquennial Periods the Ages of those Admitted, Recovered, and Died during the year 1906, and those remaining on 31st December, 1906. TABLE VIII.

s t 906.	Total.	: 2 4 12 2 2 2 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1199	47.7
Patients Resident 31st Dec., 1906.	Females.		665	49.2
31st	Males.	:12 112 112 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	534	45.8
	Total.	:	26	55.1
Deaths.	Females.	: HHH : H : 10 7 4 4 4 4 5 7 7 9 1 1 : :	46	54.5
	.səlsM	:::004404040664::::	51	2.69
ď.	.IstoT	:::4011114478221::::	114	39.8
Recovered.	Females.	:::00000000000000	65	38.2
Ä	Males.	::::00000000000000000000000000000000000	49	42.0
.S.	Total.	232 21 21 22 12 13 14 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	258	41.6
missions.	Females.	:: 1112352411 0 2 E	133	40.0
Ad	Males.	: : :	125	43.2
			•	:
			÷	:
			:	:
7/	;		:	:
Ages.		10 years 15 years 20 years 20 years 30 years 35 years 50 years 50 years 60 years 70 years 77 years 99 years 90 years	:	:
		under under under under under under under under under under under under under	:	:
		Under 5 years 5 years and u 10 years and u 15 years and u 20 years and u 30 years and u 40 years and u 45 years and u 60 years and u 75 years and u 75 years and u 77 years and u 78 years and u 79 years and u 70 years and u 70 years and u 71 years and u 72 years and u 75 years and u 75 years and u 76 years and u 77 years and u 77 years and u 78 years and u	Total	Mean Age
		1		

TABLE IX.

Showing the Condition as to Marriage in the Admissions, Recoveries, and Deaths during the year 1906, and of Patients Resident 31st December, 1906.

lst.	Total.	:	:	• c.	:	:	:
Patients† Resident, December 31st.	Females.		:	:	•	:	:
P Bec	Males.		:	:	:	:	
	Total.	29	43	17	8	:	26
Deaths.	Females.	14	19	6	4	:	46
	Males,	15	24	8	41	•	51
d.	Total.	55	49	10	:	•	114
Discharged Recovered.	Females.	34	23	8	:	:	65
B	Males.	21	56	23	:	:	4.9
ns.	Total.	105	104	34	15	:	258
Admissions.	Females.	22	47	24	20	:	133
A(Males.	48	22	10	10	:	125
			:	:	•	:	:
		:	:	:	:	:	:
ion	Marriage.	:	:	•	•	:	Total
Condition		0 7 6	:	:	:		
.£		:	:	:	÷	:	
		Single	Married	Widowed	Idiots	Unknown	

+ This information is not given owing to the impossibility of supplying it accurately.

TABLE X.

Showing the Probable Causes of the Insanity in the Patients
Admitted during the Year 1906.

CAUSES OF INSANITY.	Inst whi	mber cance: ch e use v igned	s in each vas	tota of I	Proportion (per cent). to the total number of Patients admitted during the Year.			
	М.	F.	T.	M	F.	T.		
MORAL. Domestic Trouble (including loss of relatives and friends) Adverse Circumstances (including Business Anxieties and Pecuniary Difficulties) Mental Anxiety and Worry (not included under the above two heads), and Over-work Religious Excitement	4 6 6 1 2 	5 2 1 1	9 6 8 2 2 1	3 2 4·8 4·8 ·8 1·6 	3·7 1·5 ·7 	3·5 2·3 3·1 ·7 ·7 ·3		
Old Age Epilepsy General Paralysis	$\begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ 14 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$	6 9 3	$\begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 23 \\ 7 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 4.8 \\ 11.2 \\ 3.2 \end{array}$	4·5 6·7 2·2	4·6 8·9 2·7		
Fevers Other Bodily Diseases or Disorders Accident or Injury Privation and Starvation Over-exertion Sunstroke Puberty Change of Life Lactation Pregnancy Parturition and the Puerperal State Uterine and Ovarian Disorders Congenital Defect Hereditary Influence	6 4 1 10 17	5 5 5 18	11 4 1 2 5 15	4.8 3.2 .8 8.0 13.6	3·7 1·5 3·7 3·7 13·5	 4·3 1·5 ·3 1·9 5·8 13·6		
Family Predisposition (not direct Heredity) Intemperance in Drink ,, Sexual Venereal Disease Self-abuse, Sexual Previous Attacks Other ascertained causes Unknown	17 24 25	28 7 1 37	45 31 1 62 53	13.6 19.2 20.0 16.3	21·1 5·2 27·8 24·1	17.4 12.0 24.0 20.5		

[†] These are the entire number of instances in which the several causes (either alone or in combination with other causes) were stated to have produced the mental disorder. The aggregate of these totals (including "Unknown"), of course exceeds the whole number of Patients admitted; the excess is owing to the combinations.

TABLE XI.

Showing the form of Mental Disorder in the Admissions, Recoveries, and Deaths of the year 1906, and the form of Mental Disorder of the Inmates on 31st December, 1906.

										7- 7-		
	TG IN M.	H		50	68	149	14	539	141	506	×	1199
	REMAINING ASILUM.	F		23	37	20	κņ	328	92	121	īΟ	665
	Rei	M		22	55	62	6	211	65	88	က	534
, , , ,		I		4	4	6	10	34	91	20	:	 - 26
	DEATHS.	Ħ		23	63	4	4	16	6	6	:	46
	I	M		73	23	ಸರ	မ	18	2	11	;	51
	ES.	T			:	9	:	99	36	9	:	114
	Recoveries.	<u> </u>		:	:	4	:	32	27	67	:	65
·	RE	M		:	:	23	:	34	6	4	:	49
	ν. Σ	T		4	11	22	6	119	62	31	:	258
	Admissions.	Ħ		23	ಣ	∞	4	19	41	14	:	133
	AD	M		63	∞	14	ಸರ	28	21	17	:	125
			ıcy	:	•	:	•	•	•	•	•	•
)eficier	*	•	sy	iis	•	•	:	•	*
,	ENTAL R.		Congenital or Infantile Mental Deficiency	:	•	Depending upon acquired Epilepsy	Depending upon General Paralysis	:	•	*	•	Total
	FORM OF MENTAL DISORDER.		ntile D	epsy	pilepsy	equired	eneral	8 0 0	•	:	:	<u>.</u>
	FORM		r Infa	a with Epilepsy	b without Epilepsy	npon a	pon G	* *		:	:	
			nital o	a wit.	b with	ding t	ding u		Melancholia	ntia	rial	
			Conge		•	Deper	Depen	Mania	Melan	Dementia	On Trial	
1		Annual Property				Marie Co. A						 -

TABLE XII.

Showing the Station or Occupation of Patients Admitted during the Year 1906.

TABLE XIII.

Showing the number of Admissions, Discharges, and Deaths

in each Month of the Year 1906.

	Арм	ISSI	ons.	Disc	CHAR	GES	D	EATH	s.
Months.	Males	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
January	13	9	22	6	5	11	6	4	10
		11	23	3	8	11	6	3	9
February	12								
March	10	7	17	6	6	12	4	9	13
April	9	12	21	7	5	12	2	3	5
May	12	10	22	11	3	14	2	7	9
June	15	10	25	7	10	17	6	2	8
July	9	17	26	2	3	5	4	6	10
August	9	11	20	3	5	8	2	1	3
September	7	16	23	5	7	12	3	•	3
October	14	12	26	10	10	20	2	2	4
November	7	11	18	13	9	22	9	4	13
December	8	7	15	7	10	17	5	5	10
Totals	125	133	258	80	81	161	51	46	97

TABLE XIV.

Showing the Condition of those Admitted in reference to Education.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Good or Fair Education Can Read and Write Can Read only Can neither Read nor Write Idiots.	$ \begin{array}{c} 6 \\ 92 \\ 2 \\ 22 \\ 3 \end{array} $	2 110 3 13 4	8 202 5 35 7
Total	125	133	258

TABLE XV.

Showing the Religious Persuasion of those Admitted.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Church of England Roman Catholics Wesleyans and Methodists Baptists Congregationalists Society of Friends Salvation Army American Established Church Unknown Idiots	95 4 9 5 6 1 1	107 3 9 3 5 1 1 	202 7 18 8 11 2 1 1 1
Total	125	133	258



FINANCIAL STATEMENTS,

DIETARY TABLES,

AND

MISCELLANEOUS RETURNS.

1906-7.

Statement of Receipts and Payments during RECEIPTS.

Balance in hand at the commencement of the year \dots \dots	£ 	s.	d. 	£ 4,596	s. 13	d. 11
Goods sold namely:— Farm and Garden Sales	1,080	5	9			
Sums received on Account of the Maintenance of— (a) Pauper Patients:—						
Unions & Parishes within Contributory Counties)						
From Guardians and Boroughs, at 8s. 2d. 26,801 16 2						
Other Unions and Parishes, at 14s. per head per week 54 11 6						
From Treasurers of Counties and Boroughs, at 8s. 2d. per head per week. Of Non-contributory Counties and Boroughs, at 8s. 2d. per head per week. Of Non-contributory Counties and Boroughs, at 8s. 2d. per head per week.						
namely:— (at s. d. per head)						
FromTreasurers of Contributory Counties and Boroughs under Section 269 (9) of the Lunacy Act, 1890, in respect of accommodation at other Asylums, not exceeding one-fourth of the entire weekly charge						
From Treasurers of Non-contributory Boroughs and of Counties in respect of Non-contributory Boroughs for excess of weekly charge above ordinary rate (30 and 31 Vic, c.) 106, s. 23.)						
From Treasurers of other Asylums, for Patients received under contract or arrangement, at s. d. per head per week	27,579	3	3			
(b) Private Patients	916	3	3			
(c) Criminal Patients: From Parliamentary Vote 60 15 0 Private Funds of Patients, or their Friends						
their Friends	60	15	0			
Funeral and Removal Expenses:— From Guardians of Unions and Parishes						
From Treasurers of Counties and Boroughs 1 11 6	0.1					
Total Receipts		9	0	29,720	16	
Total of Receipts and Balances	*** ***	44		34,317	10	

ACCOUNT.

the year ending 31st March, 1907.

PAYMENTS.

Salaries and Wages (not including Payments for Labour appearing in the ments for Labour appearing in the m		1					
Salaries and Wages (not including Payments for Labour appearing in the Farming and Gardening Account, nor comprised in the Building and Repairs Fund Account), namely: Officers 2,942 9 10 7,469 2 9		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Attendants and others 4,326 12 11 7,469 2 9 Provisions (including Malt Liquor in ordinary dict)	Salaries and Wages (not including Payments for Labour appearing in the Farming and Gardening Account, nor comprised in the Building and Repairs Fund Account), namely:—						
Matt Liquor, Wines and Spirits (not included in ordinary diet) 16 11 6 Farm and Garden Expenses 4,019 14 1 Clothing:		7,469	2	9			
Clothing : —	Provisions (including Malt Liquor in ordinary diet) Malt Liquor Wines and Spirits (not included in ordinary	5,698	18	10			
Clothing : — For Patients	diet)						
Necessaries (including Fuel, Lighting, and Washing) 3,351 1 7 5 1 7 5 1 5 1 7 1 5 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Clothing: -						
Surgery and Dispensary 259 7 1 568 12 7 7 1 568 12 7 7 1 568 12 7 7 1 568 12 7 7 1 568 12 7 7 1 568 12 7 7 1 568 12 7 7 1 568 12 7 7 7 1 568 12 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7	For Attendants 262 0 7	1,668	9	3			
Funeral Expenses	Surgery and Dispensary	259	7	1			
Transfers to the Building and Repairs Fund Account, namely:— (a) Excess of Weekly Charge on Out-County Patients (b) ,, Private ,, 24 10 10 (c) ,, Criminal ,, 27 13 6 458 17 11 Other Payments, specifying them:— Advertising, Printing, Postages, &c. Amusements 49 0 6 Carriage of Goods and Travelling Expenses 149 0 6 Carriage of Goods and Travelling Expenses 15 1 1 3 Books, Periodicals, &c. 62 14 0 Rates and Taxes 943 7 2 Sundries 943 7 2 Sundries 161 9 0 1,637 8 8 Total Payments 6,265 6 4 Clerk of Asylum 6,265 6 4 106 6 3 6,371 12 7	Furniture and Bedding						
Carriage of Goods and Travelling Expenses Expenses Sundries		2,757	17	2			
(a) Excess of Weekly Charge on Out-County Patients 24 10 10 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 406 13 7 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Transfers to the Building and Repairs Fund Account, namely:—						
(b) "Private "Ado6 13 7 458 17 11 Other Payments, specifying them:— Advertising, Printing, Postages, &c. 225 12 11 Amusements 49 0 6 Carriage of Goods and Travelling Expenses 14 3 10 Expenses 14 3 10 Tobacco and Snuff 181 1 3 Books, Periodicals, &c. 943 7 2 Sundries 161 9 0 1,637 8 Total Payments 27,945 17 7 Balance in hand at the end of year, viz.;— 6,265 6 4 4 106 6 3 6,371 12 7	(a) Excess of Weekly Charge on						
Advertising, Printing, Postages, &c. Amusements Carriage of Goods and Travelling Expenses	(b) ,, Private ,, 406 13 7	458	17	11			
Advertising, Printing, Postages, &c. Amusements	Other Payments, specifying them :—						
Tobacco and Snuff	Advertising, Printing, Postages, &c. 225 12 11 Amusements 49 0 6						
Rates and Taxes	Tobacco and Snuff 14 3 10 3						
Balance in hand at the end of year, viz. :— Treasurer Clerk of Asylum 6,265 6 4 106 6 3 6,371 12 7	Rates and Taxes 943 7 2	1,637	8	8			
Balance in hand at the end of year, viz. :— Treasurer Clerk of Asylum 6,265 6 4 106 6 3 6,371 12 7							
Treasurer			•••	•••	27,945	17	7
Clerk of Asylum	Treasurer	6,265		4			
Total of Payments and Balances 34,317 10 2	Clerk of Asylum				6,371	12	7
	Total of Payments and Balances	•••	•••	•••	34,317	10	$\overline{2}$

BUILDING AND REPAIR

Statement of Receipts and Payment

RECEIPTS.

		MEORII 19.						
Sums received from th Counties and Boroug		the Contributory	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Name of County or Borough. Ordinary Repairs. New Buildings and Extraordinary Outlay.								
County of Worcester.	£ s. d. 1,134 11 9	£ s. d						
City of Worcester	$ \begin{array}{c c c} & 141 & 16 & 6 \\ \hline & 1,276 & 8 & 3 \end{array} $		1,276	8	3			
Other Receipts, specifyin			1,270		J			
Rents Maintenance Account,	re Funerals		107 4	$\begin{array}{ c c } & 6 \\ 17 \end{array}$	6 6			
Transfers from the Maint								
(a) Excess of Weekly $(b) ,,$ $(c) ,,$		ce Patients mal Patients	$\begin{array}{c} 24\\406\\27 \end{array}$	$\begin{vmatrix} 10\\13\\13 \end{vmatrix}$	$\begin{array}{ c c }\hline 10\\ 7\\ 6\\ \end{array}$			
Tot.	tal Receipts					1,847	10	
Balance due at the end of	764 37	14 7	1 7	802	1			
Tot	tal of Receipts and	Balances	••• ,	•••		2,649	11	1

FUND ACCOUNT.

for the year ending 31st March, 1907.

PAYMENTS.

		1 ()	I ~	d	0	1 0	1 4	1 0		
Ba	lance due at the commencement of the year	£	s.	d	£	S.	d.	£ 585	s. 2	d. 11
Sui	ms paid on Account of— DRDINARY REPAIRS— Iron and Castings Ironmongery Cocks, Valves, &c. W.C. Fittings Lubricants India Rubber Packing Tubing, Steam Fire Apparatus Tools Locks Wall Pump Repairing Hydro Extractor ,, Gas Engine ,, Gas Ovens Rebuilding Bakehouse Ovens Paints, Oils, &c. Glass Lead Building Materials Timber Road Stone Fire Brigade Allowances Carriage of Goods and Travelling Expenses RepairingSubway, FilterBeds to Pumps Wages	49 20 23 15 7 4 31 5 9 5 25 6 1 10 171 72 12 15 25 8 28 16	1 0 16 11 19 5 18 8 0 3 0 10 13 15 1 12 0 9 17 19 12 8 5 5	4 4 1 6 5 6 11 0 5 7 0 9 6 11 0 5 3 1 8 6 0 6 0 6 0 6 0 7	1,102	15	6			
. A	ADDITIONS, ALTERATIONS, AND IM- PROVEMENTS— Foul Washer and Fixing Fencing for Cemetery Kneader and Engine for Bakehouse	142 8 130	17 12 0	5 6 0	281	9	11			
NE	W BUILDINGS AND EXTRAORDINARY OU	TLAY	• • •	•••	•••	•••	•••			
C	Pensions	•••	•••		604 75	3 19	10 8	0.004	0	
	Total Payments	•••	••	•••	•••	••	•••	2,064	8	11
	Total of Payments a	nd Balanc	ces	•••	•••	• •		2,649	11	10

FARM AND GARDEN

Profit and Loss Account of the Farm and Garden RECEIPTS.

	3	s.	D.	£	s.	D.
Sums received from Sales:—						
	4 2	$1 \\ 12$	$\frac{3}{0}$			
302 lbs. Butter1s. 2d. 1	7 2	$\begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 7 \end{array}$	4 3			
196 doz. Eggs		16 18	$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 10 \end{array}$			
1 Buil Calf	5	10 11	0 6			
8 Pigs	7	7	8			
$42\frac{1}{2}$ Bushels Beans 4s. and 4s. 2d.	3	12 16	$\frac{6}{3}$			
601 lbs. Wool1s. 1d. 32	3 2 4	10 11 18	$\begin{array}{c} 6 \\ 0 \\ 6 \end{array}$			
Hides, Skins, and Fat	7	$\frac{13}{3}$	5			
Rent of Land and Cottages	_	16	$\ddot{3}$			
Cottage		5 18	0			
				798	15	3
Value of Goods supplied to Asylum:— 3,565\(\frac{3}{3} \) Gallons New Milk		14	0			
$egin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	ő	$\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 11 \\ 0 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 5 \\ 9 \\ 6 \end{array}$			
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	5	1 <u>1</u>	$\frac{6}{3}$			
*54,454 lbs. Beef)	18 11	6 5			
*18,272 lbs. Pork 444 156 lbs. Bacon $$ $7\frac{3}{4}$ d.	Į.	$11 \\ 0$	7 9			
235 Rabbits	3	$\frac{17}{6}$	6 8			
†Vegetables and Fruit 720)	1	2	3,966	8	0
Value of Keep of Fat Stock				5	0	6
Hauling and other Horse Work for the Asylum Value of Stock at end of year				$\frac{137}{4,079}$	5 2	$0 \\ 1$
				3,010	2	1
				8,986	10	10

^{*} These are carried out at the same rate as the net cost of Live Stock bought in the market, viz:—Midsummer $5\frac{3}{4}$ d. lb., Michaelmas $6\frac{1}{8}$ d. lb., Christmas $5\frac{1}{2}$ d. lb., and Lady-Day 6d. lb.

[†] These are charged each quarter at the current wholesale Evesham market prices.

[‡] In this Account no charge is made for the labour of Patients employed on the Farm, or that of the Ward Attendants engaged supervising them.

ACCOUNT.
for the Year ending 31st March, 1907.

PAYMENT						
Value of Stock at the commencement of year	£	s.	D.	£ 4,057	s. 0	D. 9
Sums paid during the year in respect of— ‡Labour Provender	868 420 219 1,329 208 734 237	9 18 19 19 8 6 12	9 9 2 0 11 6 0	4,019 90 40 7 73 30 8,317	$ \begin{array}{c} 14 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{array} $	$ \begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 6 \end{array} $
Balance in favour of Farm and Garden				8,986	9	4 10

ACREAGE OF LAND.				Α.	R.	P.
Freehold Of which sites of Buildings, Airing Courts, &c.		0				
Rented	481			69	0	39
Of which Sub-let	33	1	30		_	~ ~
				448	1	2 5
Net acreage under cultivation by Asylum	• • • • • •	• • • • •	••••	517	2	24

MAINTENAN

Statement of the Financial Condition of

Cash in hands of Treasurer and Clerk	£ 6,371	s. 12
Worcestershire Unions	6,674	17
Out-County Unions	18	4
County of Worcester	6	15
County and City Councils, Lunacy Act, Section 269 (9)	192	19
Private Patients	167	7
Criminal Patients	15	7
Amounts due for Goods sold	202	2
TOTAL	13,649	5

H. LEICESTER,

AUDITOR.

1st May, 1907.

COUNT.

intenance Account, on the 31st March, 1907.

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100	mount due in respect of :	£	s.	d.
	Salaries and Wages	1,518	10	2
	Tradesmen for Goods supplied	3,356	14	10
	Treasurers of other Asylums for Patients Boarded out	773	16	9
	Repairs Account, excess charge on Out-County, Private and Criminal			
	Patients	115	3	0
d.	Balance in favour of the Asylum	7,885	0	10
	Mora ve	10.040		7
The same of	TOTAL	13,649	5	

JOHN G. HADLEY,

CLERK AND STEWARD.

County and City of Morcester Lunatic Asylum.

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.

Detailed Statement of the Receipts and Payments during the year ending 31st March, 1907.

RECEIPTS.

From Unions within the contributory County and City of Worcester, viz.:—	0	~	~	e	~	D
Alcester	£. 469	s. 13	D. 2	£.	s.	D.
Bromsgrove	2,032	4	8			
Cleobury Mortimer	$95 \\ 1,651$	$\frac{7}{10}$	6 8			
Dudley	2,323	11	9			
Evesham	967	16	9			
Kidderminster King's Norton	2,977 $2,440$	$\frac{5}{12}$	$\frac{2}{0}$			
Ledbury	62	14	10			
Martley	734 49	1 18	$\frac{5}{6}$			
Newent	984	7	3			
Shipston-on-Stour	378	15	10			
Solihull Stourbridge	$1,475 \\ 3,124$	$\frac{12}{1}$	$\frac{1}{10}$			
Stow-on-the-Wold	$\frac{3,124}{21}$	5	10			
Stratford-on-Avon		• • •	:			
Tenbury Tewkesbury	$\begin{array}{c} 522 \\ 84 \end{array}$	$\frac{7}{3}$	$\frac{5}{6}$			
Upton-on-Severn	1,747	8	5			
West Bromwich	1,149	12	8			
Worcester	3,592	$\frac{2}{}$	5	26,884	13	8
From non-contributory Unions and					_	
Parishes, viz. :—						
Amesbury	$\frac{3}{2}$	4 18	0			
Barnstaple	7	8	0			
Birmingham	1	10	0			
Bolton Camberwell	3	2 3	$\frac{0}{6}$			
Doncaster	Ö	$1\overline{2}$. 0			
Ely King's Norton	1 3	6	0			
Lichneld	3 4	$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 6 \end{array}$	0			
Newcastle-on-Tyne	1	2	0			
Penistone St. George's (Hanover Square)	1 4	$\frac{2}{14}$	0			
Saliord	3	18	0			
Stoke-on-Trent	1	10	0			
Watford Wharfedale	$\begin{vmatrix} 9 \\ 4 \end{vmatrix}$	$\frac{6}{10}$	0			
				54	11	6
Carried forward				26 ,939	5	2
				20,000		

RECEIPTS—(Continued).

Brought forward	£	s.	D.	£ 26,939	s. 5	D. 2
From Treasurer of the County Council for patients adjudged chargeable thereto From Treasurer of the County Council	36	15	4			
under Section 269 (9) of the Lunacy Act, 1890 From Treasurer of the City Council,	611	3	10			
under Section 269 (9) of the Lunacy Act, 1890	76	7		724	7	1
Private Patients Prison Commissioners				916 60		3
Sums received for goods sold, viz.: Farm and Garden Kitchen Stuff and Old Stores Sundries	798 14 267	10				
				1,080	5	9
Total Receipts				29,720	16	3

PAYMENTS.

SALARIES AND WAGES. Officers Attendants and others	£. 2,942 4,526	s. 9 12	D. 10 11	£. 7,469	s. 2	D D
Provisions.						
Ale Arrowroot Bacon Barley, Pearl Barm and Yeast Beer Duty Bread Cheese Chicory Coffee Cornflour Currants and Raisins Eggs Figs Fish Flour Lemonade Golden Syrup Hops Jellies Lard Malt Margarine Meat:—Preserved ,, Fat Stock, purchased Milk, Condensed Mustard Oatmeal Oranges and Lemons Pepper Poultry Rice Sago Salt Sauce Spices Split Peas Sugar Tapioca Tea Vinegar	596 2 33 30 298 184 21 145 1 122 43 331 1,438 4 19 8 2 35 283 255 990 54 13 4 7 9 11 9 6 2 7 52 391 1 257 11	$\begin{array}{c} 15\\ 5\\ 0\\ 5\\ 5\\ 3\\ 14\\ 7\\ 16\\ 7\\ 11\\ 4\\ 13\\ 6\\ 5\\ 5\\ 9\\ 1\\ 12\\ 8\\ 19\\ 12\\ 8\\ 19\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12\\ 12$	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	5,693	18	10
Wines and Spirits.						
Wines Spirits	14 2	7 4	6	16	11	6
Carried forward	6			13,184	$-\frac{11}{13}$	1

Brought forward	£.	s.	D.	£ 13,184	s. 13	D. 1
FARM AND GARDEN. Analyst's Fees Bailitt's Expenses, Markets, &c Blacksmith Boiler Insurance Bones, Grinding Bran Brooms and Brushes Bull Bullocks Calf Meal Candles, Carriage Carriage of Goods. Carter's Expenses Cartridges Castrator Colts Commission, Live Stock Bought Compensation for Growing Crops to outgoing Cottage Tenant Cows Cultivator Dairy Utensils Fire Insurance Forks Grains Grease Harness ,, Repairing Horse Fees Implements, Repairing Ironmongery Licenses for Servants Linseed and Cotton Cake Manures Mill Stones, Dressing Poultry Ram Rates and Taxes, Imperial ,, Poor and District	$\begin{array}{c} 1\\ 5\\ 20\\ 1\\ 6\\ 54\\ 3\\ 25\\ 582\\ 19\\ \\ 4\\ 2\\ 2\\ 106\\ 21\\ \\ 2\\ 247\\ \\ 7\\ 2\\ 11\\ \\ 30\\ \\ 6\\ 10\\ \\ 3\\ 58\\ \\ 9\\ 4\\ 260\\ 114\\ \\ 1\\ 1\\ 3\\ 40\\ 103\\ \\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 14 \\ 14 \\ 12 \\ 5 \\ 15 \\ 12 \\ 4 \\ 18 \\ 10 \\ 10 \\ 10 \\ 9 \\ 4 \\ 15 \\ 19 \\ 16 \\ 16 \\ 15 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{array}$	0 3 11 0 6 0 0 0 6 0 0 0 6 0 0 0 6 0 0 0 6 0 0 0 6 0 0 0 6 0 0 0 6 0 0 0 6 0 0 0 6 0 0 0 0 6 0			
Rent Sale Fees Sack Hire Seeds Sharps Sheep ,, Shearing Sheeting, Canvas Steam Cultivating Subscription to Madresfield Agricultural Club Timber Tools Trap Repairs Travelling Expenses Twine for Binder Veterinary Surgeon and Medicine.	107 55 301 1 5 17 1 4 11 2 14 39	15 7 10 13 13 11 7 16 3 0 16 5 12 8 3 12	10 6 6 9 0 9 7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1			
Carried forward	3 146	5	4	13,184	13	1

Brought forward	£. 3,146	s. 5	D. 4	£. 13,184	s. 13	D. 1
Wire Netting	130 738	19 0 9	0 0 9	4,019	14	1
CLOTHING.						
Boots Calico Capes, Oilskin Check Cottons Corsets Dowlas Dress Material Flannel Hats Hose Jackets Leather and Grindery Pins. Pipe Clay Pocket Handkerchiefs Print Tape Thread Trousers Umbrellas, Repairing Useful Presents to Patients Vests Worsted Wages, Shoemakers ,, Tailors	5 185 81 21 37 2 11 53 137 70 3 66 11 140 2 7 72 4 27 108	15 6 19 4 10 18 7 13 15 1 3 11 9 14 12 3 17 16 17 13 19 18 7 11 19 18 17 16 17 18 17 18 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19	6 10 4 8 3 2 0 7 10 0 2 6 6 11 0 0 3 1 6 10 0 6 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	1,406	8	8
ATTENDANTS' UNIFORM.						
Males Females	161 100	15 5	4 3	262	0	7
NECESSARIES. Baskets Bath Bricks Bees' Wax Blacking Black Lead Blue Boiler Solution Borax Brooms and Brushes Buckets Candles Chambers, India Rubber	3 1 11 1 1 10 4 50 2 1 6	12 7 4 6 0 10 6 8 3 18 9 19	0 0 0 0 0 9 0 6 6 6 0 3 6			
Carried forward	95	4	6	18,872	16	5

Brought forward	£. 95	s. 4	D. 6	£. 18,872	s. 16	D. 5
Coal—Screened Nuts , Hard Cobbles ,, Best House ,, Cannel and Wigan for Gas ,, Smith's Breeze Cooperage Combs Cutlery Cutlery Grinding Dough Trough Earthenware Filter Charges Gas Globes Globe Polish Glass Tumblers House Flannel Ironmongery Lime, Old Radnor Mangle Cloth Matches Oils Pepper Boxes, Metal Soaps Soda Spittoons Sponges Spoons, Horn Starch Sugar Paper, Waste Paper, &c. Tapers. Tin Ware Turpentine Thermometers ,, Repairing Twine Wringing and Mangling Machine Wages, Gas Stokers ,, Laundry Men ,, Water Supply Man	1,033 328 103 654 5 3 13 9 10 1 106 23 2 1 8 69 28 29 3 1 25 234 26 2 9 12 13 13 3 7 79 8 7 97 101 117 45	$ \begin{array}{c} 16 \\ 18 \\ 10 \\ 8 \\ 17 \\ 19 \\ 18 \\ 12 \\ 17 \\ 10 \\ 18 \\ 12 \\ 17 \\ 10 \\ 11 \\ 12 \\ 18 \\ 15 \\ 4 \\ 10 \\ $	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	3,351	1	7
SURGERY AND DISPENSARY. Air Pillows Disinfectants Drugs Instruments	6 21 222 8	18 0 14 13	5 8 2 10	259	7	1
FURNITURE AND BEDDING. American Leather Bed Ticking Blankets Blind Cord. Carpet. Chairs, Repairing. Chest of Drawers Clocks, Winding and Repairing. Curtains Huckaback	6 24 81 2 61 2 2 2 20 1 48	13	6 0 6 0 9 0 0 0 0 0		. 2500	O descriptions
Carried forward	251	10	8	22,483	5	1
				-		

				1		
Brought forward	£ 251	s. 10	D. 8	£ 22,483	s. 5	D. 1
Mattress Twine Ornaments for Wards Polish Sea Grass Sheeting—Forfar ,, Macintosh ,, Twilled Calico Window Holland Wages, Upholsterer	3	$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 2 \\ 19 \end{array}$	$egin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 6 & 5 & 3 & 7 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \end{array}$			
Funeral Expenses, &c.				568	12	7
Allowances	18 16 4	13 5 17	3 5 6	39	16	2
PAYMENTS TO TREASURERS OF OTHER ASYLUMS FOR PATIENTS BOARDED OUT.					20	
Leicester Borough Asylum Somerset Asylum, Cotford Abergavenny Asylum	1,176 971 610	10		2,757	17	2
TRANSFERS TO BUILDING AND REPAIRS FUND ACCOUNT.						
Excess of Weekly Charge on: Out County Patients Private Patients Criminal Patients	24 406 27	10 13 13	10 7 6	458	17	11
Miscellaneous.						
Advertising	12 25	3	6			
Amusements Analyst's Fees Bird Stuffing , Seed Boiler Insurance	49 1 11 9	$ \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 5 \\ 15 \\ 6 \\ 3 \end{array} $	6 0 0 0			
Books, Periodicals, &c, ,, Binding Broadfields Hospital, Expenses in	57 5	3	0			
Carriage of Goods	11 7 3	$\begin{array}{c} 3 \\ 0 \\ 5 \\ 13 \end{array}$	7 9 1 6			
Flower Pots, Seeds	6 9 1	13 2 17 2	9 0 0 1			
Law Charges Lawn Mowers, Repairing Licenses, Porters Maintenance of Parish Churchyard	3 8 1 5	$\begin{array}{c} 3 \\ 4 \\ 10 \\ 0 \end{array}$	0 0 0 0			
Carried forward	228	14	9	26,308	8	11

Brought forward	£ 228	s. 14	D. 9	£ 26,308	s. 8	D. 11
Marking Ink Medals for Long Service Organ Blower Postages and Telegrams Printing and Stationery , Reports Rates and Taxes, Imperial , Poor and District Removal Expenses in respect of Patients Boarded Out Recertification Fees Snuff Stamp on Financial Statement Sweets Tell Tale Clock Dials , Repairing Tiffany Tobacco , Pipes and Pouches Travelling Expenses Vermin Killing Weather Charts Workmen's Insurance	1 2 46 104 63 16 926 18 3 4 20 2 1 1 1 171 5 7 3 6	16 7 5 3 10 12 14 13 8 0 15 0 3 14 10 2 3 10 4 13	$egin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	1,637	8	8
Total Payments				27,945	17	7

Statement showing the Average Weekly Cost per Patient on the Net Expenditure during the year ending 31st March, 1907.

ITEMS OF EXPENDITURE.	Ave	rage.
Salaries and Wages	s. 2	D. 5
Provisions (including Farm and Garden Expenses)	2	103
Wines and Spirits		18
Clothing		73
Necessaries	1	1
Surgery and Dispensary		1 d
Furniture and Bedding		$2\frac{1}{4}$
Miscellaneous		61/4
	7	$10\frac{1}{4}$
Less received for Goods Sold from Stores		1‡
Average Weekly Cost	7	9

Contract Prices for the several Articles of Consumption for the year ending 31st March, 1907.

ARTICLES.	Midsummer Quarter, 1906.	Michaelmas Quarter 1906.	Christmas Quarter, 1906.	Lady-Day Quarter, 1907.	Average for the Year 1906.	Average for the Year 1905.
*Bacon, per lb. *Barm, per gallon *Bath Bricks, per 100 *Black Lead, per cwt. *Blacking, per gross *Blue, per lb. Bran, per cwt. *Candles (Dips), per 12 lbs. +Cheese, per cwt. *Chicory, per cwt. Coal (Engine Nuts), per ton ,, (Hard Cobbles), per ton ,, (East House), per ton ,, (Wigan Gas), per ton +Coffee, roasted, per cwt. +Currants, per cwt. +Eggs, per 120 *Fish, per lb. Flour (Seconds), per 224lbs. Flour (Thirds), per 224lbs. *Grains, per bushel +Malt (per 42lbs.) +Margarine, per cwt. *Matches, per gross *Mustard, per lb. *Oatmeal, per cwt. Old Radnor Lime per ton *Pearl Barley, per cwt. *Pepper (whole), per lb. *Rice, per cwt. *Salt, per ton Sharps, per cwt. *Soap (Soft), per 64 lbs. *Soda, per cwt. *Split Peas, per cwt. *Split Peas, per cwt. *Starch (Common), per cwt. *Starch (Glenfield), per cwt. +Sugar (Lump), per cwt. +Sugar (Lump), per cwt. +Sugar (Raw), per cwt. +Tea, per lb. +Tobacco, per lb. *Vinegar, per gallon	S. D. 5 0 14 8 14 0 15 11 24 6 18 4 13 9 5 6	S. D. 7 ³ / ₄ 4 6 59 0 14 5 13 7 20 6 18 0 98 0 25 0 8 0 17 3 4 9 52 0 13 9 5 6 3 11 13 6	s. p 4 6 13 3 15 11 16 9 21 2 17 9 17 0 16 3 13 9	8. 75 10 75 4 6 16 0 2 2 4 6 4 0 62 0 32 0 13 5 14 11 17 0 18 8 98 0 27 9 3 3 13 9 11 0 45 0 13 0 45 0 13 6 11 0 45 0 18 0 11 0 36 7	$\begin{bmatrix} 17 & 6 \\ 16 & 9 \\ 4 & 9 \\ 52 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 \\ 74 \\ 13 & 3 \\ 13 & 9 \\ 11 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$	$\begin{bmatrix} 8 & 6 \\ 1_{8}^{7} \\ 18 & 7_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ 17 & 9 \\ 4 & 10_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ 4 & 10_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ 51 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 7_{\frac{3}{4}}^{\frac{3}{4}} \\ 12 & 6 \\ 13 & 11_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ 10 & 6 \\ 7_{\frac{3}{4}}^{\frac{3}{4}} \\ 12 & 3 \\ 27 & 6 \\ 5 & 2_{\frac{1}{4}}^{\frac{1}{4}} \end{bmatrix}$

Those marked * are contracted for yearly. half-yearly. The remainder

SALARIES AND WAGES OF STAFF.

31st MARCH, 1907.

	Dan	37.0		
OFFICERS.	Per £			
Medical Officer & Superintendent	800	0	0	Furnished House, Coal, Gas, Garden Produce, and Washing.
First Assistant Medical Officer and Deputy Superintendent Second Assistant Medical Officer Third ditto	250 180 130	0 0 0	0 0 0	Furnished Apartments, Board, Washing, and Attendance.
Chaplain Ditto, Roman Catholic Clerk to Committee of Visitors Auditor	260 52 120 52	10	0 0 0	Non-resident.
Clerk and Steward	250	0	0	House Rent.
Organist Storekeeper	45 110	0	0	Non-resident.
Engineer	145	0	0	Furnished House, Coal, and Gas.
Assistant Clerk Superintendent's Clerk	40 26	0	$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \end{array}$	Furnished Apartments, Board, Washing, and Attendance.
Chief Male Attendant Housekeeper Chief Female Attendant. Assistant Chief Female Attendant	75 75 55	0 0 0	0 0 0	Furnished Apartments, Board, Washing, Uniform, and Attendance.
Farm Bailiff Farm Bailiff's Wife	100 30	0		Furnished House, Coal, Gas, and Garden Produce.
MALE ATTENDANTS AND	SER	∇A	NT.	'S.
One Male Attendant Ten ditto (each) Six ditto (each) One ditto Ten ditto (each) Eight ditto (each) Four ditto (each) Seven Night Attendants (each)	$\begin{array}{c} 30 \\ 28 \\ 26 \end{array}$	0	0 0 0 0 0 0	
One Painter Attendant (including £7 a year as Band Instructor) One Plumber Attendant One Whitewasher ditto One Tailor ditto One Carpenter ditto One Brewer and Storekeeper's Assistant	53 49 40 56	16 8 0 11 0	0 0 0 0 0	Board, Lodging, Washing, and Uniform.
One Upholsterer Attendant Two Porters (each) One Assistant Engineer One Gardener	50 40 96	0 0 4	0 0 0	Non-resident.
One Gardener	67	12	0	

			Pe	$\mathbf{r} \mathbf{Y}$	ear.	
			£	S.	d.	
One Stoker			58	10	0	Washing, Cottage, and Uniform.
One ditto	• • •		62	8	0	Working Clothing.
One Baker Att	endant	•••	65	0	0	Board, Washing, and Working Clothing.
Two Laundry	Men (ea	ch)	57	4	0	Washing, and Working Clothing.
One Under-gar	rdener	• • •	30	0	0	
One Market Ca	arter	• • •	2 6	0	0	Board, Lodging, and Washing.

The Married Male Attendants, under certain conditions, are allowed £6 a Year for Lodgings.

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	1.	Per W		
One Carpenter	• • • •	1 13		
One Carpenter	• • • •	1 10	0	
One Cowman		19	6	
One ditto		18	3 0	
One Mason and Brick		1 10		
One Shoemaker	• •••	1 7		
One ditto		$\tilde{1}$ 4		1
One Tailor		$\overline{1}$ 7	ŏ	Non-resident.
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One Farm Servant		12		
		7		
One Plough Boy		(. 0	
One ditto	• • • •	ē		
One Farm Carpenter		1 1		
One Gardener's Assis	tant	11	0	J
One Shepherd		18	0	1
One Farm Servant		16		
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O TO O				Cottage, Garden, and Coal.
		15		
One Gas Stoker	•••	1 8		
One Water Supply M	an	$\frac{17}{10}$		
One Excavator	• • • •	16	0	J
One Butcher		19	6	Board and Washing.
One Night Watchma		1 8		Uniform, Non-resident.
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FEMALE ATTENDANTS AND SERVANTS.

		Per	Yea	ır.		
One Female Attendant		32	0	0 `)	
Five ditto (each)	• • •	26	0	0		
Five ditto (each)		24	0	0		
Eight ditto (each)	• • •	22	0	0		
Eleven ditto (each)		20	0	0		
Nine ditto (each)	• • •	18	0	0		
Eleven ditto (each)	• • •	16	0	0		
One Night Attendant		30	0	0	ĺ	
Two ditto (each)		26	0	0		
Two ditto (each)		24	0	0		
Four ditto (each)	• • •	20	0	0		
One Cook	• • •	34	0	0		
One ditto	• • •	28	0	0	Board, Lodging, W	ashing, and
One Kitchen Maid		22	0	0	Uniform.	asimis, and
One ditto	• • •	18	0	0	Cintorin.	
Two ditto (each)	• • •	14	0	0		
One ditto	• • •	12	0	0		
One Dressmaker Attendar	1t	2 6	0	0		
One Housemaid	• • •	20	0	0		
One ditto	• • •	18	0	0		
One Laundress	• • •	32	0	0		
One Laundry Maid	• • •	22	0	0		
One ditto	• • •	18	0	0		
One ditto	• • •	16	0	0		
One ditto	•••	14	0	0		
One ditto	•••	12	0	0	J	
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£5. 6s. 6d. per annum can in course of time be obtained by Attendants for good conduct and special attention to duty.

Annual Statement showing the number of Lunatics and Idiots chargeable to the several Unions in the County and City of Worcester, whether confined in Asylums or otherwise, on 1st January, 1907.

		In County In other In Work-Asylums. house.			With Friends.			Totals.			
Unions.	Maies.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Alcester Bromsgrove Cleobury Mortimer. Droitwich Dudley Evesham Kidderminster King's Norton Ledbury Martley Newent Pershore Shipston-on-Stour. Solihull Stourbridge Stow-on-the-Wold Stratford-on-Avon. Tenbury Tewkesbury Upton-on-Severn West Bromwich Worcester. ,, County of	6 41 1 33 54 14 58 49 1 8 1 18 9 26 68 9 29 24 71 	10 47 3 43 48 26 70 66 2 19 22 7 37 72 1 15 1 45 28 84 	$egin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	6 2 23 4 8 2 2 1 1 8 3 5 3 	1 4 39 9 5 3 6 18 4 13 10	2 11 2 3 2 1 2 1 2 2 1 2 1	6 4 20 1 3 1 8	7 53 1 37 94 20 71 53 1 15 2 25 10 29 82 10 4 40 33 81 1	12 56 3 54 109 28 85 75 2 25 32 10 40 104 1 15 6 44 101 	19 109 4 91 203 48 156 128 3 40 2 57 20 69 186 1 25 96 77 182 1
Totals	523 ——	646	50	45 ——	68	112	28	50 ——	669 ——	853	 1522
Totals last year	528	643	26	45	79	116	32	49	665	853	1518

Number of Patients Chargeable to each Union on the 31st March, 1907.

Unions, &c.	Cou	n nty lum.	Boarde in o Asyl		Totals.		
	м.	F.	\mathbf{M} .	F.	М.	F.	T.
Alcester	7	10	1	2	8	12	20
Bromsgrove	42	47	3	3	45	50	95
Cleobury Mortimer	1	3	•••		1	3	4
Droitwich	33	40	2	3	35	43	78
Dudley	53	48	5	1	58	49	107
Evesham	16	26	2	2	18	28	46
Kidderminster	59	67	5	4	64	71	135
King's Norton	44	61	2	4	46	65	111
Ledbury	1	3		• • •	1	3	4
Martley	13	21	3	2	16	23	39
Newent	1		1	•••	2	••	2
Pershore	19	. 21	3	1	22	22	44
Shipston-on-Stour	8	8	•••	2	8	10	i8
Solihull	28	36	3	2	31	38	69
Stourbridge	67	70	3	3	70	73	143
Stow-on-the-Wold		1	•••	•••		1	1
Stratford-on-Avon		• • •	•••	•••		•••	•
Tenbury	8	14	• • •	•••	8	14	22
Tewkesbury	3	1	1	***	4	1	5
Upton-on-Severn	31	43	4	2	35	45	80
West Bromwich	24	28	1	3	25	31	56
Worcester	71	77	5	5	76	82	158
,, County of		•••	1		1	•••	1
-	529	625	45	39	574	664	1238
Private Patients	11	16			11	16	27
Out County Patients		1		•••		1	1
Criminal ,,	2				2	• • •	2
Totals	542	642	45	39	∂87	681	1268

PATIENTS' DIETARY SCALE, MAIN BUILDING.

P.M.	Females.	1 pint tea, 5 oz. bread, ½oz. butter.	"	" "	" "	,, ,,	,, ,,	
TEA, 6 P.M.	Males.	1 pint tea, 7 oz. bread, ½oz. butter.	:		" "	66	,, ,,	
12.30 P.M.	Females.	4 oz. fresh roast meat, cooked without bone: 12 oz. potatoes, or other vegetables; 2 oz. bread.	Stew, I pint, composed of:—4 oz. fresh meat, 12 oz. potatoes, 2 oz. carrots, 1 oz. onions, herbs; 2 oz. bread; or, 4 oz. tinned meat, served cold; 12 oz. potatoes, or other vegetables; 2 oz. bread.	16 oz. fish, cleaned and uncooked; or, 4 oz. fresh roast meat, cooked without bone; 12 oz. potatoes, or other vegetables; 2 oz. bread.	3 oz. tinned meat, 6 oz. suet pudding, 2 oz. bread.	Fie, 12 oz., composed of to the 1lb.:—5 oz. fresh meat, 4 oz. flour, ½ oz. lard or dripping, for crust; 12 oz. potatoes; ½ oz. onions, herbs.	4 oz. boiled or roast pork, cooked without bone; 12 oz. potatoes, or other vegetables; 2 oz. bread.	Soup, I pint, composed of:—2 oz. fresh meat, or bacon scraps, meat liquor, $3\frac{1}{2}$ oz. split peas, 2 oz. potatoes, 1 oz. carrots, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. leeks or onions, herbs, 4 oz. bread; or, 4 oz. fresh roast meat, cooked without bone, 8 oz. potatoes or other vegetables; 2 oz. bread; 1 oz. cheese.
DINNER, 12.30 P.M.	. Males.	5 oz. fresh roast meat, cooked without bone; 12 oz. potatoes, or other vege- tables; 4 oz. bread.	Stew, 1½ pints, composed of to the pint:— 40z. fresh meat, 12 oz. potatoes, 2 oz. carrots, 1 oz. onions, herbs, 4 oz. bread; or, 5 oz. tinned meat, served cold; 12 oz. potatoes, or other vegetables; 4 oz. bread.	16 oz. fish, cleaned and uncooked; or, 5 oz. fresh roast meat, cooked without bone; 12 oz. potatoes, or other vegetables; 4 oz. bread.	4 oz. tinned meat, 8 oz. suet pudding, 4 oz. bread.	Pie, 16 oz., composed of: -5 oz. fresh meat; 4 oz. flour, $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. lard or dripping, for crust; 12 oz. potatoes; $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. onions, herbs.	5 oz. boiled or roast pork, cooked with- out bone; 12 oz. potatoes, or other vegetables; 4 oz. bread.	Soup, 1\frac{1}{3} pints, composed of to the pint:-2 oz. fresh meat or bacon scraps; meat liquor, 3\frac{1}{2} oz. split peas, 2 oz. potatoes, 1 oz. carrots, \frac{1}{2} oz leeks or onions, herbs, 4 oz. bread; or, 4 oz. fresh roast meat, cooked without bone; 8 oz. potatoes or other vegetables, 4 oz. bread; 1 oz cheese.
ST, 7 A.M.	Females.	pint coffee, 1 pint coffee, 8 oz. bread, 6 oz. bread, 2 oz. butter. 2 oz. butter.	9.0			23		
BREAKFAST, 7 A.M.	Males.	1 pint coffee, 1 pint coffee, 8 oz. bread, 6 oz. bread, 2 oz. butter. 2 oz. butter.	6		25		6 6	A A
		SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY

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TEA, 6 P.M.	Females.	1 pint tea, or 1 pint milk and 'water, 5 oz. bread, \$ oz. butter.	=	Ch go	as	8.0	9.5	ac .
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	Males.	1 pint tea, or 1 pint milk and water, 6 oz. bread, ½ oz. butter.			4.6		66	•
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DINNER, 12.30 P.M.	Females.	3 oz. fresh roast meat, cooked without bone; 12 oz. potatoes or other vegetables; 3 oz. bread.	Stew, 1 pint, composed of:—3 oz. fresh meat; 12 oz. potatoes; 2 oz. carrots, 1 oz. onions, herbs; 3 oz. bread.	16 oz. fish, cleaned and uncooked, (or 3 oz. fresh roast meat, cooked without bone); 12 oz. potatoes or other vegetables; 3 oz. bread.	8 oz. suet pudding; 1 oz. cheese; 3 oz. bread.	Pie, 12 oz., composed of to the Ilb.:— 4 oz. fresh meat; 4 oz. flour, ½ oz. lard or dripping, for crust; 12 oz. potatoes; ½ oz. onions, herbs.	3 oz. boiled or roast pork, cooked without bone; 12 oz. potatoes or other vegetables; 3 oz. bread.	Soup. I pint, composed of:—3 oz. fresh meat or bacon scraps; meat liquor; 3½ oz. split peas; 2 oz. potatoes, 1 oz. carrots; ½ oz. leeks or onions, herbs; 4 oz. bread.
	Males.	3 oz. fresh roast meat, cooked without bone; 12 oz. potatoes or other vegetables; 4 oz. bread.	Stew, 1½ pints, composed of to the pint: —3 oz. fresh meat; 12 oz. potatoes, 2 oz. carrots, 1 oz. onions, herbs; 4 oz. bread.	16 oz. fish, cleaned and uncooked (or 3 oz. fresh roast meat, cooked without bone); 12 oz. potatoes or other vegetables; 4 oz. bread.	10 oz. suet pudding; 1 oz. cheese; 4 oz. bread.	Pie, 16 oz., composed of:—4 oz. fresh meat; 4 oz. flour, ½oz. lard or dripping, for crust; 12 oz. potatoes; ½ oz. onions, herbs.	3 oz. boiled or roast pork, cooked without bone; 12 oz. potatoes or other vegetables; 4 oz. bread.	Soup. 13 pints, composed of to the pint: —3 oz. fresh meat or bacon scraps; meat liquor, 3½ oz. split peas; 2 oz. potatoes, 1 oz. carrots; \$\delta\$ oz. leeks or onions, herbs, 5 oz. bread.
A.M.	Females.	1 pt. coffee, or 1 pt. milk and water, 6 oz. bread, 2 oz. butter.		,,			6	•
ST, 7	Fer	1 pt. or 1 p and 6 oz. 2 oz.	ž	5	66	66		6
BREAKFAST, 7 A.M.	Males.	1 pt. coffee, or 1 pt. milk and water, 7 oz. bread, 2 oz. butter.	33	33 33))))		,,	
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		SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY.	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY

BREAKFAST—To make one gallon of coffee—1 oz. coffee, ½ oz. chicory, 4 oz. sugar, 12 oz. skimmed milk.

To make one pint milk and water—¾ pint skimmed milk; ¼ pint water, ½ oz. sugar.

DINNER—Potatoes are weighed when peeled and uncooked. Some patients are allowed half-pint of beer with their dinner.

Salad is given largely when in season. Pickled cabbage occasionally.

On Tuesday with the fish is served a sauce composed of butter, flour, and vinegar.
On Wednesday the suct pudding is served with treacle or sugar, rhubarb and fresh fruits being added when in season.

TEA—To make one gallon of tea—1 oz. tea, 4 oz. sugar, 12 oz. suet 1½ oz. Any of the weakly or aged patients. who require it and all oz. skimmed milk.

Any of the weakly or aged patients, who require it, are allowed 2 oz. bread and half-pint broth at 9.30 a.m.; the broth being composed of for the pint—I pint meat liquor, 2 oz. barley, 2 oz. bread, 3 oz. bread, 4 oz. bread, 2 oz. bread, 5
ATTENDANTS' DIETARY SCALE.

	•	Cheese.	8 ozs.	8 ozs.
		Bacon.	16 ozs.	8 ozs.
WEEKLY		Fresh Butter.	8 0ZS.	8 ozs.
		Lump Sugar.	12 ozs.	12 ozs.
		Hea.	3 ozs.	3 ozs.
		Vegetables (varied in season).	1 lb.	1 lb.
		Milk.	½ pt.	bt.
	DALLY.	Beer.	$2\frac{1}{2}$ pts.	1_2^{\perp} pts.
٨		Cooked Meat (free from bone).	8 ozs.	6 ozs.
		Bread.	1 lb.	1 lb.
			MALES	FEMALES

Puddings or Tarts are given twice weekly.

If preferred 6 ozs. Coffee is given in lieu of Tea.

When necessary 12 ozs. Salt Butter is issued instead of 8 ozs. Fresh.

Chief Male Attendant's Return of Male Patients Employed during the Year ending 31st December, 1906.

How_Employed.	No. of Days.
Rug Makers Tailors. Shoemakers Carpenters Upholsterers and Hair Pickers Assisting Engineer, Smith, Stoker, and Gasmaker ,, Painter, Glazier, Whitewasher, and Plumber ,, Mason and Bricklayer ,, Storekeeper, Baker, Brewer, and Butcher ,, Clerks ,, Attendants ,, on Farm and Garden	272 444 1,009 1,416 1,920 3,021 1,858 399 2,379 1,104 47,858 46,466
Total number of week days	108,146
Daily Average Number of Patients employed	347
Employed 64.02 per cent. of the average number of Male resident throughout the year.	Patients

Chief Female Attendant's Return of Female Patients Employed during the Year ending 31st December, 1906.

How Employed.	No. of Days.
In Sewing In Netting and Knitting In Laundry Assisting Attendants ,, in Kitchens ,, Housemaids ,, in Gardens ,, at Farm	38,114 2,646 17,096 56,550 11,276 625 89 618
Total number of week-days	127,014
Daily Average Number of Patients employed	407
Employed 61.6 per cent. of the average number of I Patients resident throughout the year.	Female

Conditions under which Private Patients are admitted into the Asylum.

- I. The charge for Patients coming from, or having a settlement in, some Union in the County or City of Worcester is 15s. a week, payable quarterly in advance.
- II. The charge for maintenance covers all ordinary expenses, but in cases of prolonged bodily disease an additional weekly charge may be made to cover the cost of special medicines and stimulants.
- III. In the event of the death or discharge of any Private Patient before the maintenance moneys, paid in advance, have been exhausted by effluxion of time, the balance will be refunded to the person who made the last payment in respect of such Patient.
- IV. The Patients may wear their own clothes, but will have the same accommodation in all respects as the other Patients.
- V. Application for the admission of a Patient on the private class must be made in the first instance to the Medical Officer at the Asylum, who will supply all the various blank forms for the order and medical certificates.
- VI. The excess charge made for Private Patients beyond the ordinary pauper weekly rate of maintenance is carried to the credit of the Repairs Account.